

treated as an every day occurrence and passed over lightly. There was

the necessity of placing a check upon others who might be inclined in a similar way, and the finding of De

uation by the South African govern-

ment in taking the course it did in-

while it is not likely to arouse pub-

play into the hands of the enemy with

RAILROADS AND COAL.

the commodities clause of the inter-

state commerce act, and successful as

courts for the maintenance of the po-

at all stages.
Forced by the federal law to sepa-

coal mined before it has been started on its way in any direction. Though

this subterfuge appeared to elimin-

ate it from ownership of the mines it was a plan to get around the law in-

asmuch as the road was in possession

of the coal that it transported. Care-

fully thought out as it was it was

not sufficient to cover up the hidden

purpose and in the final decision the

government wins. It throws light on

what may be expected in a number of

other cases of similar character.

It means that the railroad combina-

tion controlling the retail and wholesale markets must be broken up, not as the roads would like to have it

control although to outward appearances they would not, but in accord-

ance with the government requirement

which will end the monopoly that has

existed. What effect it will have up-

on the price to the consumer remains

pected reductions are eaten up in oth-

REFORM AT ANNAPOLIS. From such evidence as has been

given regarding the examinations at

United States navy. When it is de-

made to know different and given to

understand that discipline really

amounts to something. For that reason it may be a good thing that the

sapolis that it is a matter which can-

opportunity to insist through greater

vigilance that the graduates actually

possess the knowledge which it is in-

tended that they shall. It cannot be

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There are reasons to believe that

the president feels that he will now

thing like that creates no attention.

Having caused damage to the

amount of a million in California,

earthquakes cause devastation about

daughter perpetuated by the movies,

Whether Frank had a fair trial or

If as indicated Germany has abandened the claim that the Lusitania car-

ried concealed guns it shows on what

weak grounds it was basing its seri-

The Mexican general at Guaymas

must realize that Admiral Howard is

unless there is some prospect that

There may be reason for blaming a

ack of proper safeguards for the

Even though Judge Landis declares

that the offender should be made to

drownings at Atlantic City but there

is some responsibility which a bather

worse than it does you.

ous contentions.

they will be fulfilled.

must assume for himself.

have a real secretary of state.

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looked upon as an institution

can be sold to

Clever as was the attempt by the Lackawanna railroad to circumvent

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THE CAPTURE OF LEMBERG.

According to the German plan at the opening of the war it was the to be seen for it is a long way to him purpose of Germany to rush its army and there are methods whereby exicross Belgium and France and capture Paris, and then be in time to er ways. turn its attention to the slow moving Russians. There were some sur-prises. The Belgians gave the allies he chance needed to set up an opposition which checked that rush and Annapolis it is quite evident that the Russians moved with greater speed than they were believed cap-which should not be permitted in any able of, but the campaign which has well regulated institution of learning been conducted since May for the and especially in the school where the recovery of Galicia, resulting in the training is obtained for officials of the retaking of Przemysl and now the fail of Lemberg, indicates that Ger- clared by one witness that entrance many may have seen a chance to re- to the class room and the professor's verse its schedule and still accom- desk was obtained by climbing plish its task.

The capture of Lemberg wins back whatever was considered necessary as the control of that province. It has an aid was taken and later thrown come after great sacrifices in men away, there is disclosed a situation and ammunition but in sending back which needs immediate improvement. the Russians it removes an Austrian It is no excuse that such acts have menace which was growing worse been committed before or that they every day. It is still uncertain just have been followed by many previous what effect this will have upon the Russian forces. They have retired in good order and if reports are true without the sacrifice of any great of quantity of munitions of war. Whether they can overcome their ammunities of the minds of the mindige contributed of the middles that the practice of cribing and stealing examination papers, or among the teaching force if it exists that tips can be said to ner as to keep the larger proportion the students, it is time that they were of the Austro-German force occupied in Galleia rests with the future to disclose, but unless they can a re-lease of many troops can now be expected for use along the other frontiers. The driving back of the Rus- nations has been uncovered as it has. sians cannot as yet be looked upon It indicates to the authorities at Anhowever as a crushing of that powerful enemy. Whether it can keep back not be ignored and gives them the the Brown Bear is still among the un-

PRISONERS ON HIGHWAYS. There is no question as to the de-

sirability and benefit of good roads. which takes care of the weak and un-It is highly important that the high- fit and still expect to turn out effiways be kept in good condition and cient naval officers. this applies to the less important of the country roads as well as the main thoroughfares. The question of finances is the chief obstacle to better roads but this appears to be meeting of July. an excellent solution, in part at any rate, by the scheme of using the prisoners in the jalls for the accomplishment of such work. It is not a new plan but one which is being gradually adopted by more states and where put in operation it appears to prove satisfactory both in the results accomplished and to the men who are thus en-

The plan of putting county jail spoon while eating ice cream That prisoners at work on the roads has respectful to the roads has respectful to the spoon.

The plan of putting county jail spoon while eating ice cream That more women conductors and an announcement was made that applications for service in that capacity that met expectations for service in that capacity would be welcomed. t has met expectations and is proving entirely satisfactory with the result that much road improvement is now underway which must otherwise have been neglected. There the as rapidly as war. opinion prevails that the idea meets with the approval of the prisoners as well as the county and that if they had the opportunity to return to the daily routine of jail life they would elect to continue the outdoor work which they are now doing on the

With both the people and the pris-oners satisfied, and results that are wanted being obtained nothing more could be desired. It means better roads and it is unquestionably better for the prisoners, and it is to be the claim that he did not. help in this state will prove as ben-

DE WET'S PUNISHMENT.

From the part which he has played South African affairs General De Wet was a man of power and prominence and his influence was great in that country where he had displayed not going to be satisfied by promises so much patriotism. It was therefore an act which could not be ignored when he led a revolution against Great Britain at the opening of the present war, even though his object was defeated. It was a time when the mother country was placing great dependence upon the loyalty of all its subjects and for such a leader as De Wet to set the example he did. especially when the majority was satisfied with the reforms which had been instituted realize the seriousness of his offense, there and foreign invasion was threat | it is a question how much good the ened which would have meant at its imposition of a two cent fine will acbest nothing better, called for ade-quate punishment. called for ade-inspector attempts, to visit his prop-

Thus, even though the revolt was erry. It looks like advice to rereat the muckly suppressed, it could not be threat to shoot.

SURPRISING JOHN

Wet guilty of treason and his sen-tence to six years imprisonment and the payment of a fine of \$10,000 serves the necessary purpose. He might have received a more severe punishment for what he did without exceeding the limits of justification, but it was a wise handling of the sit-

asmuch as it will serve as a warning De Wet will have no opportunity to start any more insurrections while the war lasts and thereafter it is possible that he will get a pardon. At any rate he as well as others understand that they cannot lead a revolt and

married woman in the new Panama hat, "I think a surprise will be so lovely, don't you?"

The matron in the flat blue sailor strand. "That is as it may be," she murmured. People's tastes of the surprise with some little treat to do anything but act up the worst way possible? A surprise in the air acts on a husband's more than that! My dear, did you sever in your life know a husband whom you were trying to surprise with some little treat to do anything but act up the worst way possible? A surprise in the air acts on a husband's nature as certain chemicals do on certain substances. It worst way possible? A surprise in the air acts on a husband's nature as certain chemicals do on certain substances. It worst way possible? A surprise in the surprise doubt more than the said of the said with some little treat to do anything but act up the worst way possible? A surprise in the air acts on a husband's nature as certain chemicals do on certain substances. It worst way to the said to make a surprise with some little treat to do anything the said of the said the said sile was mishly late in bonding and I was an easy mark. It couldn't give her a piece of my minist he was willing to stay and do it for the surprise of a mouse you'll out the surprise of a mouse you'll will the possible? They wouldn't leave the surprise of a mouse you'll will the possible? The surprise of a mouse you'll out the possible? The possible? The possible? The possible of the color of the flate of the surprise of a mouse you'll out the possible? The possible of the color of the flate of the surprise of a mouse you'll out the possible? The was the case fought in the lower sition of the road, it has all been up-set by the decision of the United States supreme court which declares that it cannot carry on such a busi-ness as that which actually keeps the railroad in control of the commodity rate the business of mining from that of transportation the Lackawanna road set up a new company of its own stockholders for the control of all the

"I put the place cards in the sideboard drawer which never under any condition in the ten years we have been married has John ever opened. What did he do Wednesday but aim-lessly pull it ajar as he wandered by what did he do Wednesday but aimlessly pull it ajar as he wandered by
and rummage among the napkins while
I stood breathless and gasping! 'Hello!" said John in pleased surprise.
'What pretty place cards! What—'
But at this point," explained the lady
in the flat sailor, "I had presence of
mind to tip over the goldfish bowl
and smash it and cut my hand and
scream. A man can't remember place
cards when he is chasing flopping fish
over the rug and bandaging his helpmeet's chbing lifeblood and I got them
out of the sideboard before he spoke of
them again and when he did speak I
jeered at him. I said he was dreaming and made him go look all through
the drawer. He grumbled all evening
over the amazing imagination he had
displayed.

"Friday was the worst. First, he
insisted on getting theatre tickets for
that evening and I hysterically said I
knew I was going to have a headachby night. Then he lided around after
breakfast, instead of catching the 8:15
as usual and said there wasn't much

back early because I was so lonesome
without him. I got hysterical over my
loneliness and John was really
alarmed! He said he guessed he'd put
off his Aurora trip and come home
convincing him he must not sacrifice
his business to my whims and he said
I certainly was a changeable woman.

"Then he came beaming home at 6
o'clock sharp as he had promised—and
o'clock sharp done whereby they would still retain

"I'm going to surprise him," said the | doing downtown and he believed he'd married woman in the new Panama stay home and work in the garden! hat. "I think a surprise will be so lovely, don't you?"

This, with an extra cook coming and a dozen things for me to help with—

"About noon John phoned that he had to go out to Aurora on business and maybe wouldn't be home till late. Why wouldn't I come along, for the country was so beautiful. I had presence of mind to wail that I had a dreadful headache and he must get back early because I was so lonesome without him. I got hysterical over my loneliness and John was really alarmed! He said he guessed he'd put off his Aurora trip and come home early. Then I had a dreadful time convincing him he must not sacrifice his husiness to my whims and he said

Stories of the War

Testaments for Soldiers,

Mites contributed by American Sun-day School children have provided thousands of Testaments, printed in Russian, for soldiers in the field. The first installment of 12,000 or more, is now being printed. They are being sent out in the name of the young through the machine shop and that

Through efforts of the American Branch of the World's Sunday School Association a fund has been raised for the purchase of these Testaments Sunday Schools throughout the United

"His Imperial Highness the Apparent Czarevitch and Grand Duke Alexi Nicolaivitch, most graciously gives this Gospel, which has been sen son it may be a good thing that the system of getting around the exami-

The Holy Synod, the governing hody of the Russian church, is preparing the books, which consist of four gospels bound in one volume and the Russian Government has agreed to transport them to the front and to the hundreds of military camps and place them in the hands of the soldiers free of charge.

Kinsale and Dover and off the Soilly Islands. She had sunk merchantmen every day or so and some two or three

As street car conductors women have done so well here, that many people believe they will be retained after the war, or at least that they will be that they will be regarded as equally eligible with men the conductors. It was common gossip in navy circles that the German was getting supplies of oil and food from the friendly traward and oil tankers, and to throw off day for such positions.

At the last meeting of the Tramthoughts don't extend beyond the fifth

ways Committee the general manager reported that forty-eight women con-ductors had been trained and half that number, were now in full charge of

"The employment of women," said, "has been an unqualified success. They have done far better than the The Spanish cabinet has resigned but in these times of trouble a little most sanguine expectations when we first ventured on the experiment."

The committee decided to employ A New York girl swallowed a silver

Loss in Navai Vessels.

After ten months of war the losses suffered by the contending navies present nome interesting points for spec-ulation, says the Journal of Commerce, of Liverpool, affording a comparison of the relative merits of the various of-fensive weapons in the naval struggle, With the wedding of Champ Clark's and showing how costly it is to the countries concerned to indulge in minor encounters.

The man on the corner says: Any-Summarizing the way the dentist never adds insult to types of vessels, Great Britain and her Allies have been deprived of the servinjury by declaring that it hurts him ices of eight battleships, fourteen cruisers, four gunboats, six destroyers, ten submarines, fourteen boats, and not, the conduct of Georgia since the six armed merchantmen and auxiltgovernor's decision rather supports

aries.
The losses of Germany and her allies consist of one battleship, twenty-three cruisers, fifteen gunboats, thir-teen torpedo craft, six submarines and wenty armed merchantmen and aux-

Separating the losses under the various causes, neglecting auxiliaries and armed merchantmen, the torpedo has destroyed 131,000 tons of allied vessels, the mino 50,000 tons, gunfire 27,000 tons and 22,000 tons have been lost in various ways.

The German, Austrian and Turkish fleets have been deprived of 13,000 tons of war vessels by means of the torpedo, 23,000 tons of the mine, 81,000 tons by gunfire, and 23,000 tons from various other causes.

Various other causes.

These figures show that England and her allies have lost 230,000 tons of naval, fighting material costing approximately \$100,000,000, while the Teuton and Turkish losses total 140,000 tons, worth \$60,000,000.

The figures also show that the

The figures also show that the miscellaneous losses officially recorded are approximately the same on both sides, while from torpedo, gun and mine the British and their allies have lost nearly double the tonnage that their opponents have lost by the same causes. By torpedo the British losses

Dr. J. M. KING are ten times more than those of the other side which shows clearly how important a part that weapon plays. In gunfire England has established long lead chiefly because the German hips at large when war was declared a long lead chiefly the war was declared ships at large when war was declared have been destroyed by this means. In the armed merchantmen and auxiliary class the net register tonnage of Allied ships destroyed amounts to 30,000, while the German, Austrian and Turkish losses stand at approximately double that figure. The total finandamile that figure are to the control of the cont

louble that figure. The total finan-rial loss in this instance amounts to about \$15,000,000. bout \$15,000,000.

Thus ten months of skirmishing and through the wooden sides of our boa preliminary actions, leading to no definite result so far as the question of less than a minute the U-29 began to naval supremacy is concerned, has list, the man on top was apparently brought about the destruction of about \$460,000 tons of warships costing \$175,-

What Sunk the U-29.

were anything but a fishing trawler. To add more to the deceptiveness, the bow down near the water line was painted white to resemble what is known in ship parlance as the "bone in her teeth." In other words when a

vessel is well under way she divides water at the bow and the effect of the painting would give the vessel the anpearance of going about three times as fast-as she really was. This pre-

caution was taken in event that we were detected and might throw the Germans' aim off. We cruised around

the St George's channel for two days, without seeing anything of the U-29. From here we took a course that led us toward Dover. We were kept advised later of her movements by wireless, and were finally told to proceed to Dover. It was about the course of the second transfer of the second transfer

to Dover. It was about two o'clock in the afternoon, the weather was a

bit hazy but clear enough to see well about two miles. We were flying the Union Jack, Suddenly the lookout who as well as all of us was dressed in fisherman's clothes, shouted, 'Subnyar-

First we saw the periscope fust

False colors did not lure Captain Faise colors did not lure Captain Weddigen and his crew of the German submarine U-29 to its fate according to Captain Louis Sorcho, noted American Deep Sea Diver who has just returned from a tour of England. He got this story from another: Morals and Manners Among Negro Americans. Edited by W. Burghardt DuBois, Ph. D., Augustus Granville Dill. Paper, 136 pages with index. Published by the Atlanta University Press, Atlanta, Ga. Price 75 cents. "For many weeks the U-29 had been active between the points of

This is a report of a social study patronage of the trustees of the Joh F. Slater fund and includes the pro in a day. Every effort to get Wed-digen had failed. In fact he got sev-eral torpedo boats that were sent af-ter him. Then the U-29 seemed to make a specialty of sinking trawlers. r. Stater fund and includes the pro-ceedings of the 18th annual conference for the study of the negro problems held at the university in May, 1913. The object of the studies is primarily scientific—a careful research for truth, conducted as thoroughly, broadly and homestly as the material resources and honestly as the material resources and lers and oil tankers, and to throw off suspicion, Weddigen would occasionalmental equipment at command will allow. suspicion, Weddigen would occasionally send one or two to the bottom. Word was given us to proceed to Birkenhead. Once there we went in the dry dock and a force of carpenters was put to work in building a fake superstructure of wood over the vessel. When we sailed down the Mersey no one would ever have known that we were anything but a fishing transfer.

It shows that much progress is be-ing made in the work of educating the negro and gives a collection of opinion on morals and manners among the ne

It holds that there are the economi It holds that there are the economic hindrances to sound moral life among the negroes, but the fight is being bravely made. The criminality of negroes is not large or dangerous, considering their economic status, but it calls for far different treatment than it is receiving. Meantime homes and home life are improving and there is widespread effort in social reform widespread effort in social reform.

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"First we saw the periscope just about six hundred yards away. Then the craft arose from the water, and signalled us to stop. We did as commanded and sewly turned our broadside to the submarine. The letter and number were plainly visible now. The top of the submarine opened and someone stepped out and shouted someone stepped out and shouted through a meannhous." Take to the start trouble.—Washington Post. through a megaphone, "Take to the essary trouble.-Washington Post.

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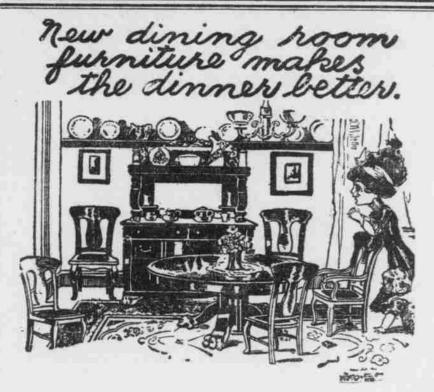
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